

Table 2.

## Selected Characteristics of the Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Population— Alone, In Combination With Non-Pacific Islander Races, and Total: 2000

(Data based on sample. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see [www.census.gov/prod/cen2000/doc/sf4.pdf](http://www.census.gov/prod/cen2000/doc/sf4.pdf))

Characteristic	Number			Percent		
	Alone	In combination	Total	Alone	In combination	Total
<b>Total Pacific Islander</b> .....	<b>378,782</b>	<b>482,183</b>	<b>860,965</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>AGE</b>						
Under 10 years .....	65,976	107,199	173,175	17.4	22.2	20.1
10 to 17 years .....	54,566	78,895	133,461	14.4	16.4	15.5
18 to 34 years .....	115,742	138,595	254,337	30.6	28.7	29.5
35 to 64 years .....	123,846	135,983	259,829	32.7	28.2	30.2
65 years and over .....	18,652	21,511	40,163	4.9	4.5	4.7
Median age (years) .....	27.6	23.7	25.5	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>						
<b>Population 15 years and over</b> .....	<b>278,885</b>	<b>323,973</b>	<b>602,858</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Never married .....	97,204	130,193	227,397	34.9	40.2	37.7
Married .....	142,719	146,129	288,848	51.2	45.1	47.9
Separated .....	6,933	8,422	15,355	2.5	2.6	2.5
Widowed .....	10,815	11,734	22,549	3.9	3.6	3.7
Divorced .....	21,214	27,495	48,709	7.6	8.5	8.1
<b>HOUSEHOLD TYPE</b>						
<b>Households with a Pacific Islander householder</b> .....	<b>100,151</b>	<b>119,918</b>	<b>220,069</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Family households .....	79,254	88,072	167,326	79.1	73.4	76.0
Married couple .....	56,454	58,827	115,281	56.4	49.1	52.4
Female householder, no spouse present .....	15,432	21,164	36,596	15.4	17.6	16.6
Male householder, no spouse present .....	7,368	8,081	15,449	7.4	6.7	7.0
Nonfamily households .....	20,897	31,846	52,743	20.9	26.6	24.0
<b>NATIVITY AND CITIZENSHIP</b>						
<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>378,782</b>	<b>482,183</b>	<b>860,965</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Native .....	303,305	396,059	699,364	80.1	82.1	81.2
Foreign born .....	75,477	86,124	161,601	19.9	17.9	18.8
Naturalized .....	30,284	38,672	68,956	8.0	8.0	8.0
Not a citizen .....	45,193	47,452	92,645	11.9	9.8	10.8
<b>FOREIGN BORN BY YEAR OF ENTRY</b>						
<b>Foreign-born population</b> .....	<b>75,477</b>	<b>86,124</b>	<b>161,601</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Before 1970 .....	5,777	8,693	14,470	7.7	10.1	9.0
1970 to 1979 .....	13,775	14,740	28,515	18.3	17.1	17.6
1980 to 1989 .....	22,665	27,375	50,040	30.0	31.8	31.0
1990 to 2000 .....	33,260	35,316	68,576	44.1	41.0	42.4
<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME AND ENGLISH-SPEAKING ABILITY</b>						
<b>Population 5 years and over</b> .....	<b>347,400</b>	<b>428,034</b>	<b>775,434</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Only English at home .....	195,395	310,739	506,134	56.2	72.6	65.3
Non-English at home, English spoken "very well" .....	101,494	74,073	175,567	29.2	17.3	22.6
Non-English at home, English spoken less than "very well" .....	50,511	43,222	93,733	14.5	10.1	12.1
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>						
<b>Population 25 years and over</b> .....	<b>206,675</b>	<b>230,613</b>	<b>437,288</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Less than high school graduate .....	44,943	46,102	91,045	21.7	20.0	20.8
High school graduate .....	69,559	70,554	140,113	33.7	30.6	32.0
Some college or associate's degree .....	63,675	70,174	133,849	30.8	30.4	30.6
Bachelor's degree or more .....	28,498	43,783	72,281	13.8	19.0	16.5
<b>LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION</b>						
<b>Men 16 years and over</b> .....	<b>136,941</b>	<b>153,712</b>	<b>290,653</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
In labor force .....	97,907	101,526	199,433	71.5	66.0	68.6
<b>Women 16 years and over</b> .....	<b>135,325</b>	<b>161,053</b>	<b>296,378</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
In labor force .....	82,424	100,841	183,265	60.9	62.6	61.8
<b>OCCUPATION</b>						
<b>Employed civilian population 16 years and over</b> .....	<b>157,119</b>	<b>187,267</b>	<b>344,386</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Management, professional, and related occupations .....	36,653	48,080	84,733	23.3	25.7	24.6
Service occupations .....	32,657	39,576	72,233	20.8	21.1	21.0
Sales and office occupations .....	45,310	55,195	100,505	28.8	29.5	29.2
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations .....	1,375	1,486	2,861	0.9	0.8	0.8
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations .....	15,139	17,191	32,330	9.6	9.2	9.4
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations .....	25,985	25,739	51,724	16.5	13.7	15.0
<b>EARNINGS AND INCOME (in 1999)</b>						
Median earnings (dollars) for males <sup>1</sup> .....	31,030	31,968	31,508	(X)	(X)	(X)
Median earnings (dollars) for females <sup>1</sup> .....	25,694	26,197	25,964	(X)	(X)	(X)
Median income (dollars) for families .....	45,915	45,406	45,671	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>POVERTY (in 1999)</b>						
<b>Individuals for whom poverty status was determined<sup>2</sup></b> .....	<b>364,909</b>	<b>464,073</b>	<b>828,982</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Individuals below the poverty level .....	64,558	72,975	137,533	17.7	15.7	16.6
<b>HOUSING TENURE</b>						
<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>98,739</b>	<b>119,294</b>	<b>218,033</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Owner-occupied .....	44,896	57,048	101,944	45.5	47.8	46.8
Renter-occupied .....	53,843	62,246	116,089	54.5	52.2	53.2

(X) Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> Based on full-time, year-round workers.

<sup>2</sup> Poverty status was determined for everyone except individuals in institutions, military group quarters, or college dormitories, and individuals under age 15 unrelated to the householder.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000 special tabulation.